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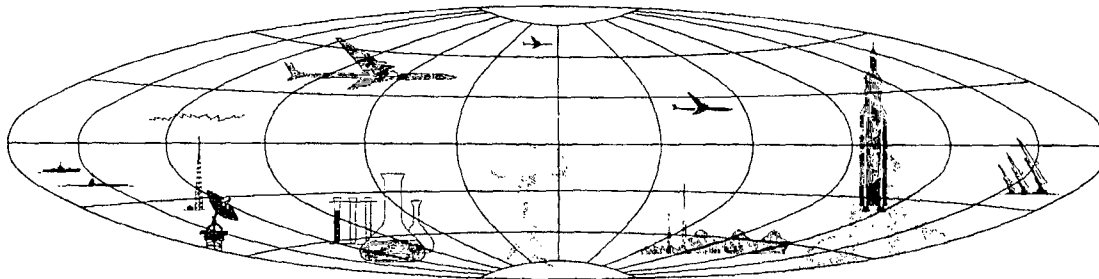
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## PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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GUSEV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH  
(54-36N 022-12E)  
GUSEV, KALININGRADSKAYA OBLAST, USSR  
BALTIC MD

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AL No:

COMOR No:

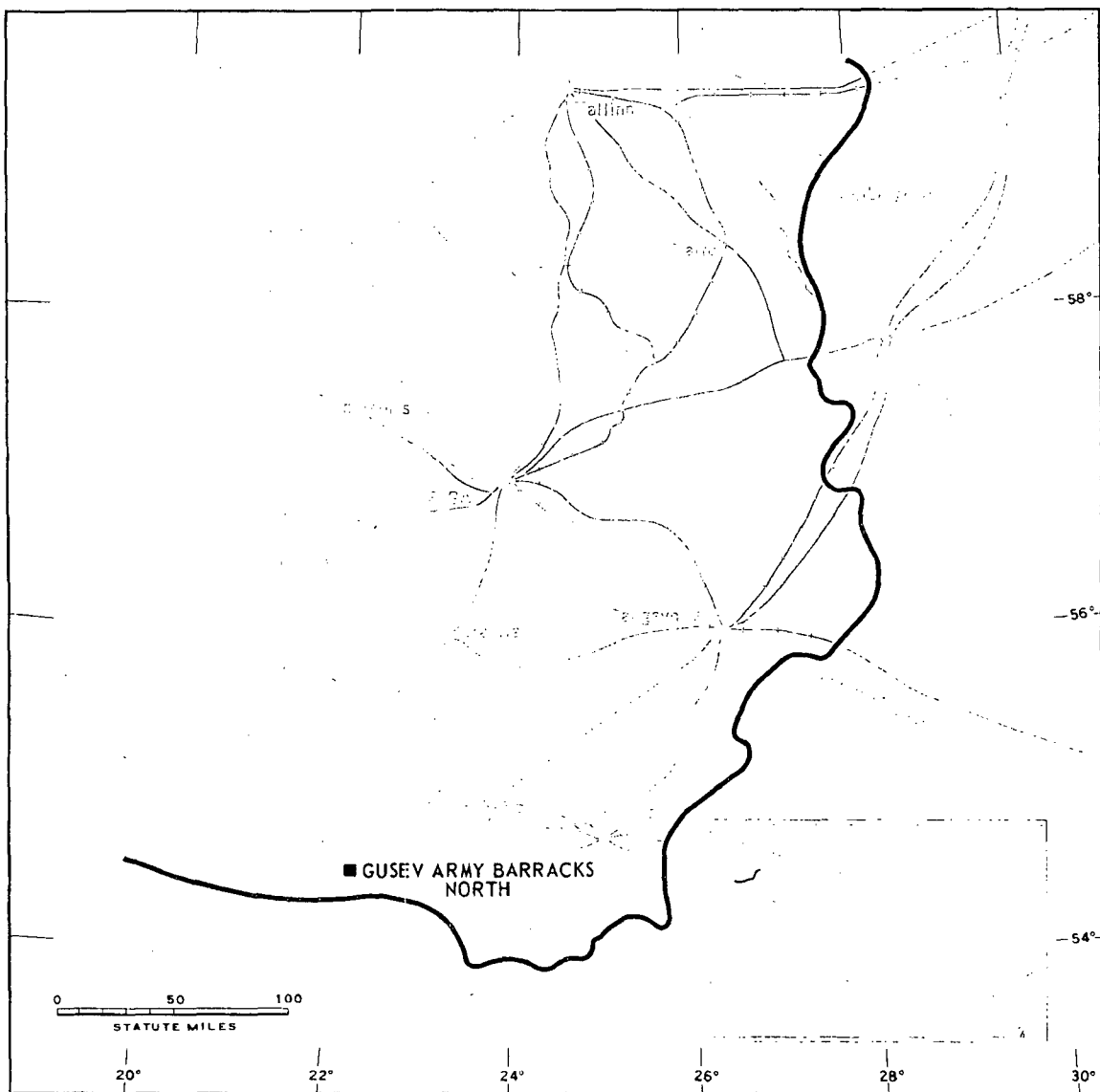


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF GUSEV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH.

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FIGURE 2. GUSEV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH, GUSEV, USSR, June 1964.

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#### SUMMARY

Gusev Army Barracks North is located on the northern edge of Gusev (Figure 1). This location is within 4 kilometers (km) of 2 other military barracks areas. Gusev Army Barracks NE [ ] and Gusev Army Barracks Rominte River South [ ]

Gusev Army Barracks North covers 150 acres and contains an administration building, 7 barracks, 12 storage buildings, 5 vehicle maintenance/storage buildings, and 2 motor parks with probable tanks/SP guns and vehicles.

A small-arms firing range and 2 subcaliber firing ranges are located at the northern end of the installation. The barracks installation is secured by a fence and is both road and rail served (Figures 2 and 3).

Gusev Army Barracks North was covered on interpretable photography from 6 KEYHOLE missions between December 1961 and August 1964. Comparative analysis reveals no significant changes in the number of buildings or level of activity since December 1961.

#### DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

##### Railroad Service

The barracks installation is served by a rail line with a short spur branching from it and contains a trackside dock approximately 100 feet long.

##### Road Service

Gusev Army Barracks North is served by primary and secondary roads from the town of Gusev.

##### Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains an administration building, 3 multistory barracks, and 4 single-story barracks.

##### General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains 7 single-story probable sheds.

Area E2 contains 2 single-story probable storage buildings which may be gun sheds.

Area E3 contains one rail-served storage building, and 2 single-story storage buildings.

##### Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains a motor park (550 by 200 feet), a vehicle storage building (300 by 60 feet), and 3 rows of tanks or unidentified vehicles.

Area J2 contains a motor park (450 by 160 feet), a vehicle storage building (450 by 100 feet), and 2 rows of tanks or unidentified vehicles.

Area J3 contains 2 vehicle maintenance/storage buildings or gun sheds (330 by 50 feet and 430 by 60 feet) and a vehicle maintenance/storage building (260 by 50 feet).

##### Small-Arms Firing Ranges

Area L1 is a small-arms firing range 350 by 50 feet.

Area L2 is a subcaliber firing range 1,100 by 330 feet.

Area L3 is a subcaliber firing range 1,100 feet long with 2 firewalls 180 feet apart.

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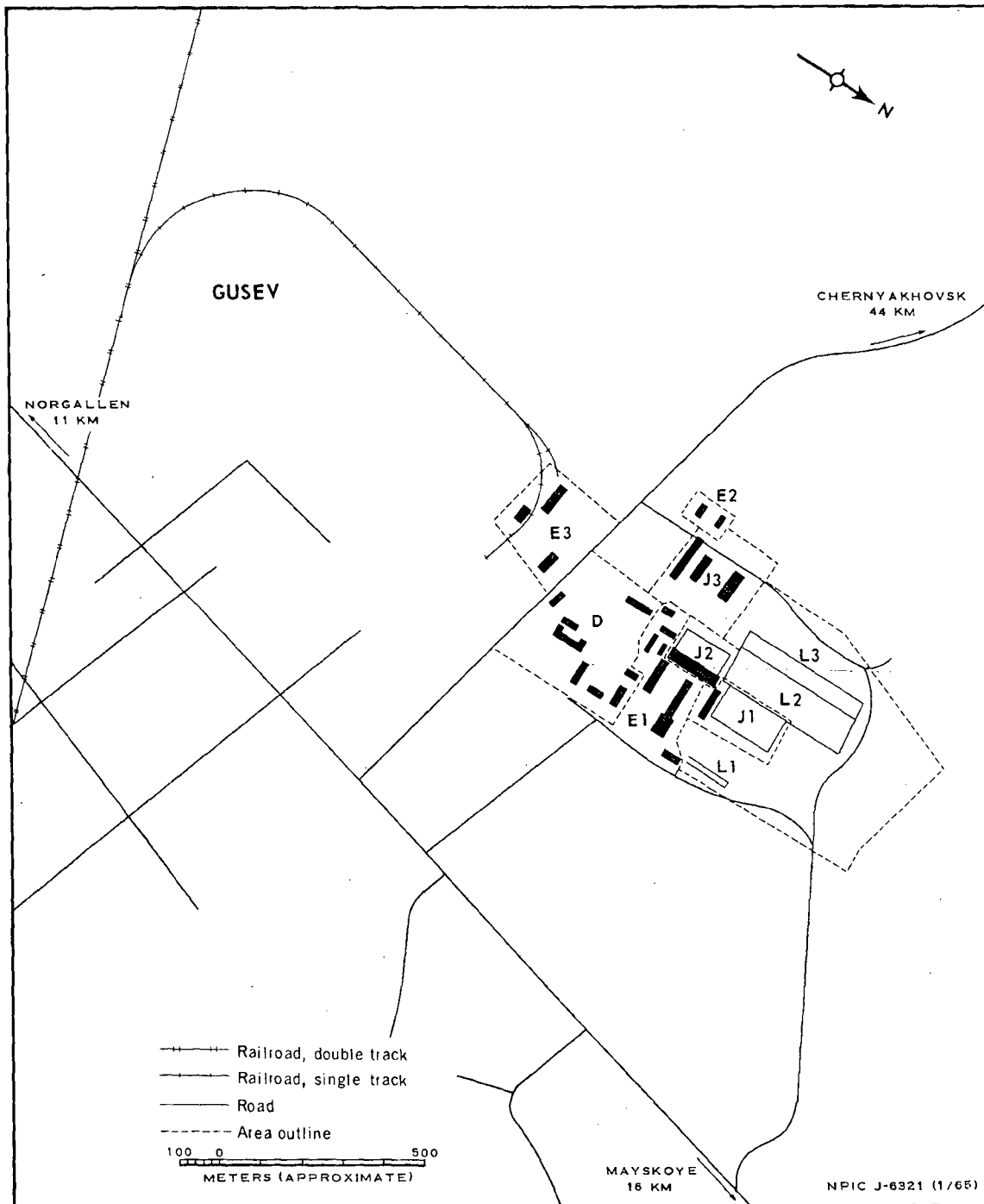


FIGURE 3. GUSEV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH. Sketch compiled from [redacted] June 1964.

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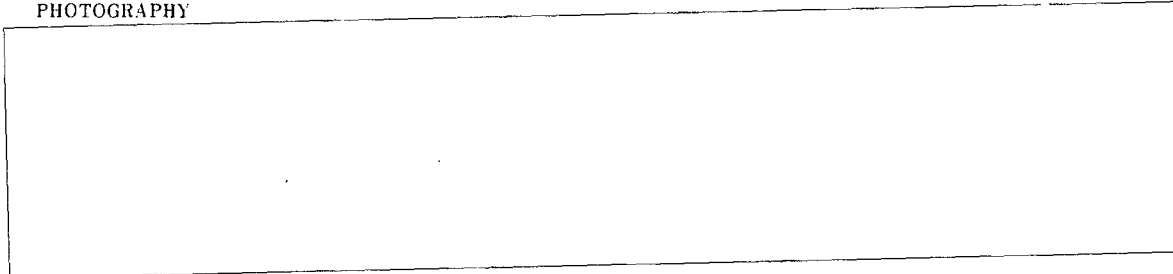
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